The 42nd HAMPTON JAZZ FESTIVAL





June 26-28, 2009



In 1968, the Hampton Jazz Festival was but a one time celebration of the centennial of Hampton University. Forty two memorable years later, this festival has become the pinnacle of entertainment offered in beautiful Hampton, Virginia. Originally held at Armstrong Field on

Hampton Jazz Festival was moved to Hampton

the campus of Hampton University, the

Coliseum in 1970 where it has been held

sequentially every June since.

This year's lineup was just as star packed as the years before, boasting such acts as Ledisi, The O'Jays, Chuck Brown, Robin Thicke and Patti Labelle. The reputation of the Hampton Jazz Festival, even in its 42nd year, has lived up to its legendary name.





Chuck Brown

Friday June 26, 2009



Jazz Attack featuring Jonathan Butler (center), Richard Elliot (left) and Rick Braun (right)



George Benson



Ledisi



Kenny "Babyface" Edmonds

Saturday June 27, 2009



Michael McDonald



Fantasia Barrino



Forte Jazz Band



The O'Jays

Sunday June 28, 2009



Keiko Matsui



Patti LaBelle



Chuck Brown

The Fans











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